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Applicant: A. John Bramley *et al.*
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension of time from May 13, 2003, up to and including June 13, 2003, to respond to the Office Action mailed February 13, 2003, in the above-referenced case. An Advisory Action was mailed on April 29, 2003. Responsive to that Advisory Action, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks.

This Response is believed to be in compliance with the Revised Amendment Format published in the Official Gazette on February 25, 2003, and therefore to be exempt from the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(a)-(d).

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